(c) The Inter-Ministerial Committee is to submit its report by the end of this year.

(d) Does not arise.

Availability of Power in UP

135. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA : Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state :

(a) what is the percentage of power available in Uttar Pradesh to the domestic, commercial and agricultural sectors as against the total availability of power and need in each sector ;

(b) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to under take an extensive study of the availability of hydel power potential in order to augment the power supply ;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof stating the steps so far taken by Government to make such a study; and

(d) whether Government propose to involve private sector in setting up mini hydel plants in the State of Uttar Pradesh ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI) : (a) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(b) and (c) The total hydro-electric potential of the various rivers in Uttar Pradesh has been tentatively assessed at 9726 MW at 60% load factor.

(d) The question of participation of the private sector in generation of power is under consideration.

Misuse of the technology for recycling used engine oil

136. DR. BAPU KALDATE : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have taken note of the finding of the Indian Institute of Petroleum (I. I. P.) that their licenced technology for recycling used engine oil being misused ;

(b) whether Government attention has been drawn to the report published in the *Economic Times*, New Dlhei dated the 7th June, 1986, to the effect that sub-standared oil is being marketed by several manufacturers ; and

(c) if so, what steps Government have taken to stop the misuse of the technology ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI) : (a) I. I. P. has not conducted any survey to establish whether their technology is being misused.

(b) Yes Sir.

(c) As per scheme announced by the Government, the Units have to be registered with the concerned authorities in the State Governments. Further, various checks are placed on the units to ensure that the product sold is not of sub-standard quality. Guidlines have been also issued to the public sector organisations etc. to ensure that used lubricating oils generated in these units are sold to registerd re-refiners only.